

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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Reichert, <i>et al.</i>)	Art Unit: 1743
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Application No. 09/973,557)	Examiner: Ramillano, L. J.
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Filing Date: October 10, 2001)	Confirmation No. 7868
)	
For: "INTEGRATED OPTIC WAVEGUIDE)	
IMMUNOSENSOR")	

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Examiner Ramillano:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed May 2, 2007 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 29, 2007, please enter the following amendment in the application and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 15.

Applicants previously submitted a response to the Office Action on October 23, 2007, which was found to be non-complaint, thus resulting in issuance of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment on October 29, 2007. A **Request for a Three-Month Extension of Time** was filed with the original filing of the response to the Office Action.